Brock Bridge Elementary School



SCHOOL YEAR 20-21 OCTOBER/2020

Estimadas familias de la Escuela Primaria Brock Bridge,

No puedo creer que ya sea octubre y casi hemos completado nuestro primer mes de e-learning (aprendizaje realizado a través de medios electrónicos). Quería aprovechar esta oportunidad para decir ¡GRACIAS! Esta transición no ha sido fácil y apreciamos todo lo que está haciendo para continuar apoyando a sus estudiantes.

Durante los próximos días, los maestros se comunicarán para programar conferencias para el 12 y 13 de octubre. No habrá clases para los estudiantes en estos días.

Seguimos distribuyendo Chromebooks a medida que los recibimos. Una vez que llegue el próximo envío de Chromebooks, un miembro de nuestro equipo se comunicará con usted para programar una cita, según la lista de prioridades de la encuesta. El objetivo de AACPS es que cada estudiante tenga un Chromebook proporcionado por la escuela. Por favor, tómese unos minutos para repasar con su estudiante la forma correcta de cuidar la tecnología.

Necesitamos su ayuda para completar lo siguiente, si aún no lo ha hecho:

- Encuesta de tecnología:
 - Ingles: https://secure.aacps.org/webapps/SEFP/en-US/OSS/device
 - Español: https://secure.aacps.org/webapps/SEFP/es-ES/OSS/device
- Aplicaciones de almuerzo:
 - https://www.aacps.org/mealapplication
- Permisos de grabación:
 - https://www.aacps.org/site/Default.aspxPageType=6&SiteID=4&SearchString=recording%20permission
- Tarjetas de encuesta federal (se enviará más información a finales de este mes).
- Revisión de la tarjeta de emergencia: si no ha revisado la tarjeta de emergencia, recibirá una copia por correo con instrucciones.
- Mochilas / Materiales: llame a la oficina para programar una cita para recoger las mochilas y los libros de estudio "Ready Common Core", si aún no los ha recogido.

Por favor, continúe visitando el sitio web de AACPS para obtener actualizaciones sobre el aprendizaje virtual www.aacps.org/virtuallearning.

Gracias nuevamente por su continuo apoyo durante este tiempo.

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Office Staff

Annika Anderson, Principal Secretary

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Tammie Mason, Registrar Scan to follow us on Twitter!



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Google Meet Class Recordings



As a reminder, in the virtual learning environment, families are forbidden to record or take pictures during live lessons. Please remember that virtual classrooms are no different than building classrooms where student privacy should be respected and upheld. AACPS has guidance for teachers on the proper recording of lessons should you need information (www.aacps.org/googlemeet); however, such recordings are not meant for personal nor public consumption beyond the classroom. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated for the safety and integrity of our school community.

Thank you.

School Camera System

monitored during emergency situations.



Brock Bridge Elementary School is equipped with a video camera system. It covers selected interior and exterior public portions of the building and grounds. It is NOT monitored constantly, but it is

During certain events, when the safety or security of students may be in questions, authorized personnel from local, state, or federal police or fire emergency units may be given access to view images projected on the camera system. If you have any questions about the system, you should call the Supervisor of School Security at 410-222-5083.

AACPS Non-discrimination Disclaimer



The Anne Arundel County Public School System does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, national origin, religion, age, disability, sexual orientation or familial status in matters affecting employment or in providing access to programs. Questions regarding nondiscrimination should be directed to Mr. Leslie N. Stanton, Specialist in Human Relations, AACPS, 2644 Riva Road, Annapolis, MD 21401, (410) 222-5318, TDD, 410-222-5500 or www.aacps.org.

Apply for free/reduce meals:

http://aacpsschools.org/nutrition/apply-for-free-or-reduced-price-meals/

FRONT OFFICE MESSAGE

Parent Portal

Parent Portal is a powerful, easy-to-use, secure communication tool connecting parents/guardians and schools, allowing collaboration to improve student achievement.

Parents/Guardians can access student schedules, assignments, class grades and attendance information to monitor progress of students, in grades 1 through 12, in real time.



You can establish an account at https://www.aacps.org/cms/lib/MD02215556/Centricity/Domain/258/Establishing%20a%20Parent%20Portal%20Account.pdf.

You can access Parent Portal at https://powerschool.aacps.org/public/home.html

Enter the Access ID and Access Password of the student from the Parent Portal letter or email from your child's school. A lower case 'p' is required after the Access ID.

NOTE: The Access ID and Access Password are case sensitive and should be entered exactly as provided. Contact your child's school if you did not receive this information.

Electronic Absence Form

On our webpage you can find the electronic absence form. The electronic absence form can be completed for each day the student is absent. Make sure to indicate the correct date the absence will occur and the student's full name. Absences shall be treated as unlawful until we receive a written or electronic note justifying the absence. Additional documentation is not required unless requested. If your student has missed five or more consecutive days, a doctor's note will be required. Please allow 24-48 hours processing time for this to be reflected in the AACPS Parent Portal.

If you are not able to submit the electronic absence form, please make sure the teacher and/or Ms. Braga (pbraga@aacps.org) is informed by email that the student will not be participating online and the reason for the absence.

Registration

At this time, registration will be conducted virtually. Please visit www.aacps.org for the link to start Enrollment process.





OCTOBER 2020



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9 Interims to be distributed via Parent Portal	10
11	12 Schools closed for students: Parent/ Teacher Conferences	13 Schools closed for students: Parent/ Teacher Conference	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21 2 hour early dismissal. Closed for pm Pre-K & ECI students	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Counselor's Corner:

For access to school counseling lessons, activities, counselor check-in forms, and resources, check out the Brock Bridge School Counseling website here: https://sites.google.com/view/bbes-counseling

Magnet Program UPDATE:

Is your 5th grade student interested in a Magnet Program for the upcoming 2021-2022 school year?

If so, visit www.aacps.org/magnet to learn about the schools and specific programs being offered. You will also find information about Fall Information Sessions, the application process, and answers to frequently asked questions on the site. Applications open on October 12, 2020 and close at noon on November 24, 2020. If you have any questions, please feel free to send them to Mrs. Picciano at vpicciano@aacps.org.



VIRTUAL FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER

· Phone Assistance Line for Families - CALL 410-222-5001

Call for assistance and support in the following areas:

- Counseling Resources
- Resetting a Password or Support for Chromebook or Internet Connectivity
- Instructional Technology Applications within Google Classroom
- Middle & High School Evening Virtual Homework Help & Tutoring
- Elementary School Math Family Support
- Meals for Students

You can also leave a message for other topics not covered on the above list.